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ALL RIGHT,
LILITH--
MOTHER.

--MY
CURIOSITY IS
FADING...

...ALONG
WITH MY
PATIENCE.
WHAT DO YOU
WANT?

WHAT WE
ALL WANT,
BELOVED.

"Daughters"
EL SEGUNDO
LOS ANGELES



THE ONLY
THING YOU
"LOVE" IS
THIS--

...THE RING THAT
BELONGED TO
THE DEMON
BELIAL...

...BEFORE
YOU CUT OFF
HIS HAND, I'VE
THROWN IT AWAY
A DOZEN
TIMES...



...BUT IT KEEPS
COMING BACK.
YOUR LITTLE
BLUFF BACK
AT THE
CHURCH...

...DEMANDING
THE RING
BACK...YOU
COULDN'T
HAVE KEPT
IT.

CLEVER
GIRL.

DO NOT
STRIVE TO
BE TOO
CLEVER.



I AM
SHE WHO
GAVE YOU
BELIAL'S RING.
I ASSURE
YOU--

--I AM
MORE THAN
CAPABLE OF
RECLAIMING
IT.

NOW,
AS FOR
LOVE...



...LILITH OF DRAKULON
LOVES A GREAT DEAL,
DRACULINA.

VICTORY.
STOP CALLING
ME BY YOUR
KID'S NAME.

I
ESPECIALLY
EMBRACE...



...THE
GREAT
LOVE WE
BOTH
SHARE...

...

...NO...

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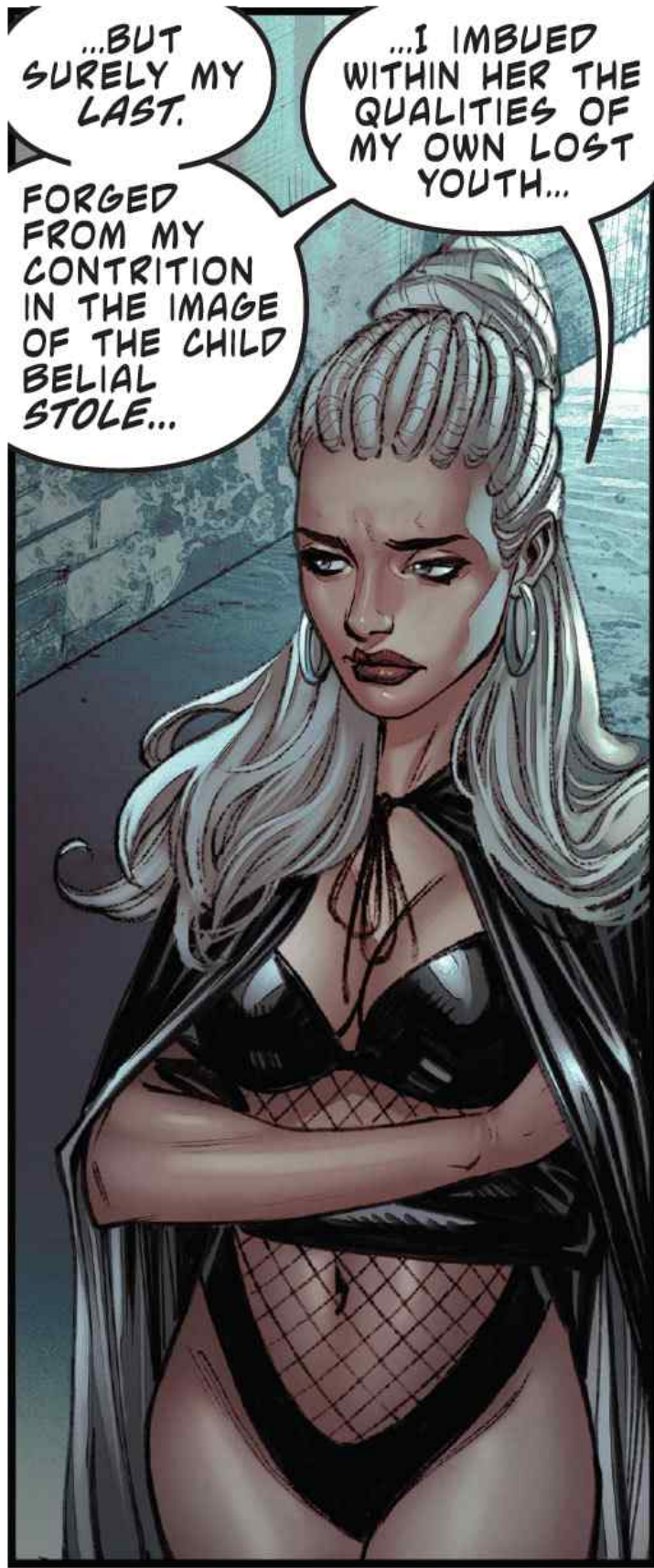




...

...ROSETTE...

NOT MY FIRST-BORN...



...BUT SURELY MY LAST.

FORGED FROM MY CONTRITION IN THE IMAGE OF THE CHILD BELIAL STOLE...

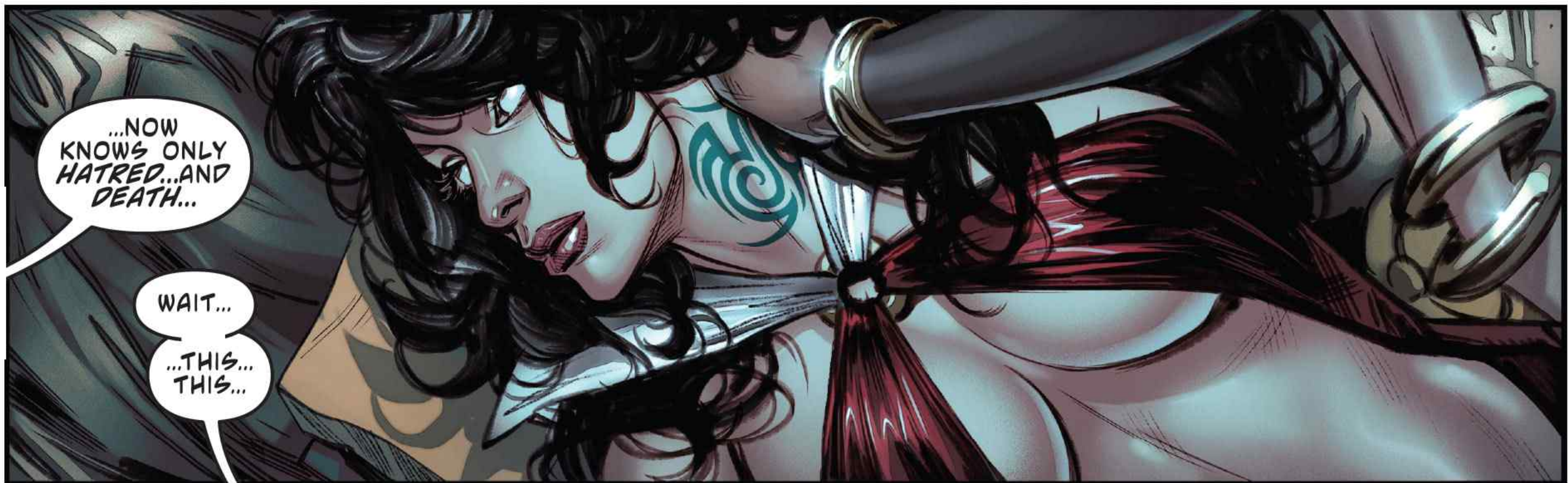
...I IMBUED WITHIN HER THE QUALITIES OF MY OWN LOST YOUTH...



...CHARITY, JUSTICE, NOBILITY...

...THE VIRTUAL ANTITHESIS OF HER TWIN...YOUR NAMESAKE...

...WHO, SO EMBITTERED FROM BEING LOST IN SPACE-TIME...



...NOW KNOWS ONLY HATRED...AND DEATH...

WAIT...
...THIS... THIS...



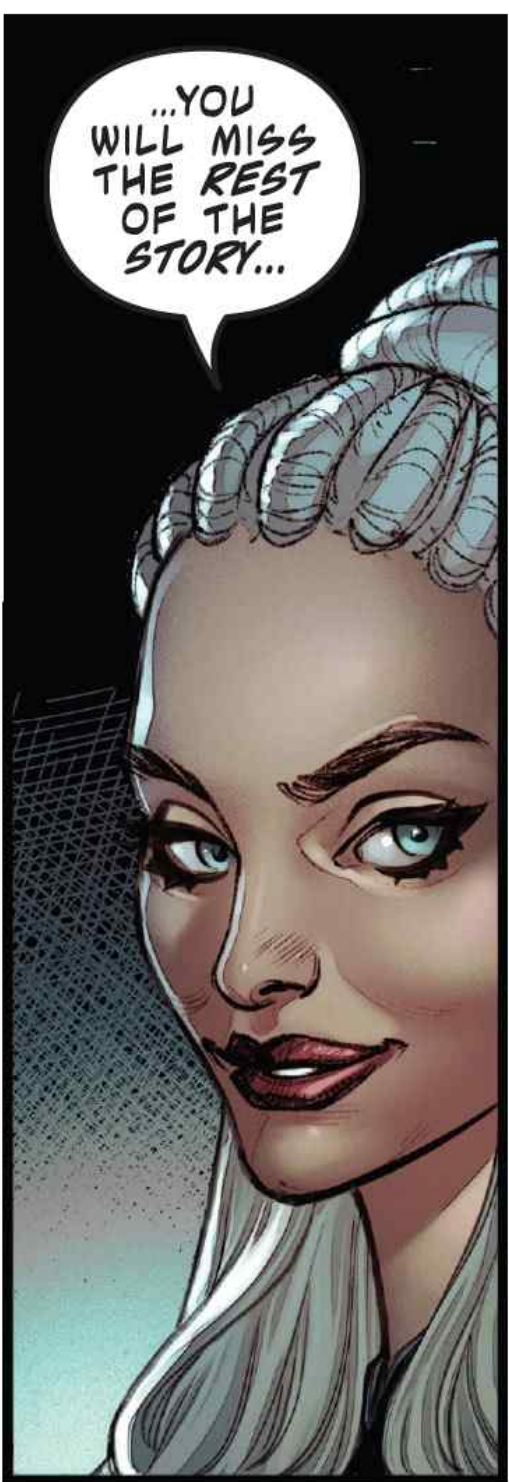
...ISN'T VAMPIRELLA.

OF COURSE NOT.
WHAT KIND OF MOTHER DO YOU THINK I AM?

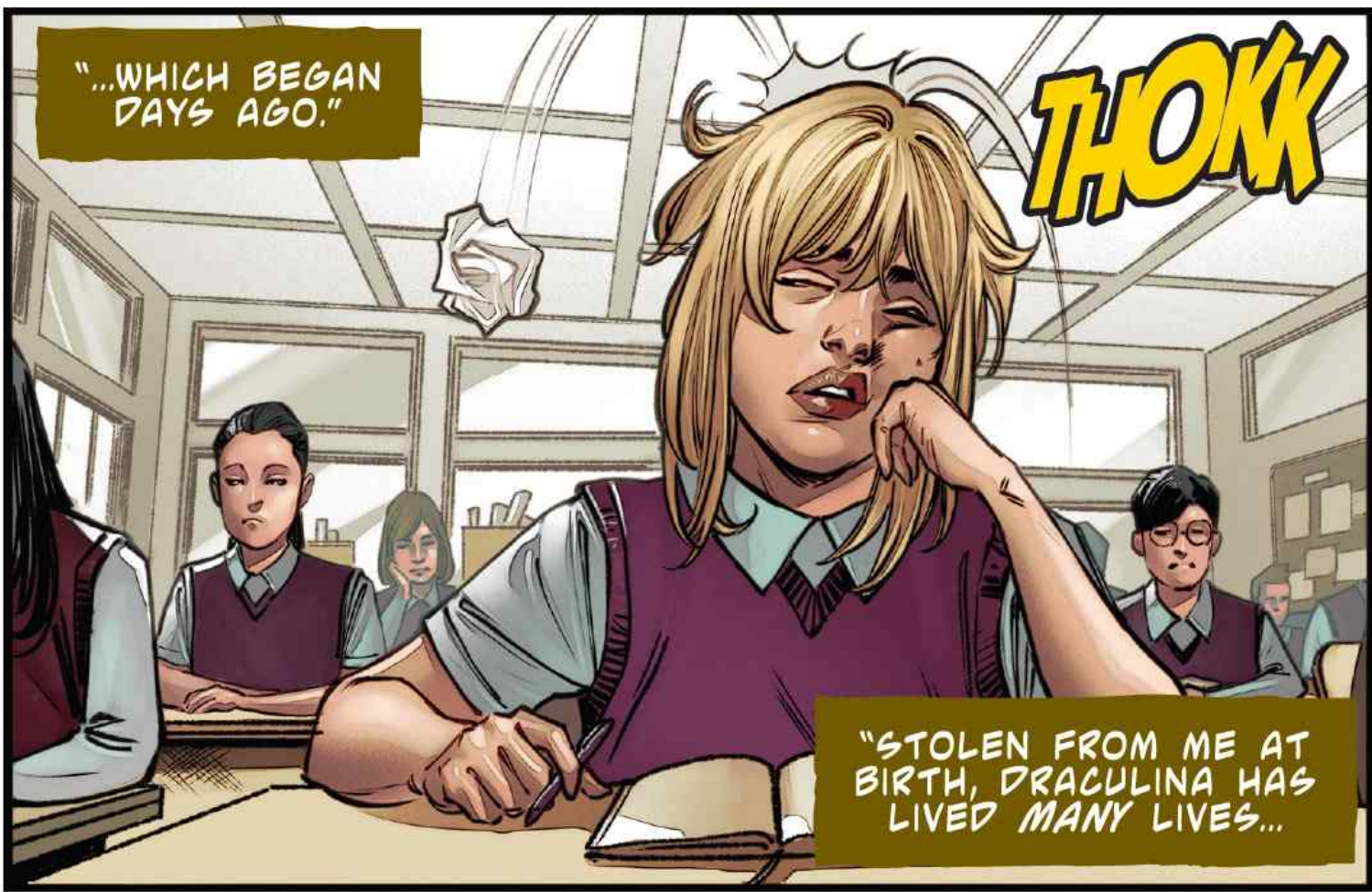


THAT'S IT. I'M OUT OF HERE.

FAIR ENOUGH.
JUST LEAVE THE RING...AND THE POWER... BEHIND. AND...



...YOU WILL MISS THE REST OF THE STORY...



"...WHICH BEGAN DAYS AGO."

THOKK

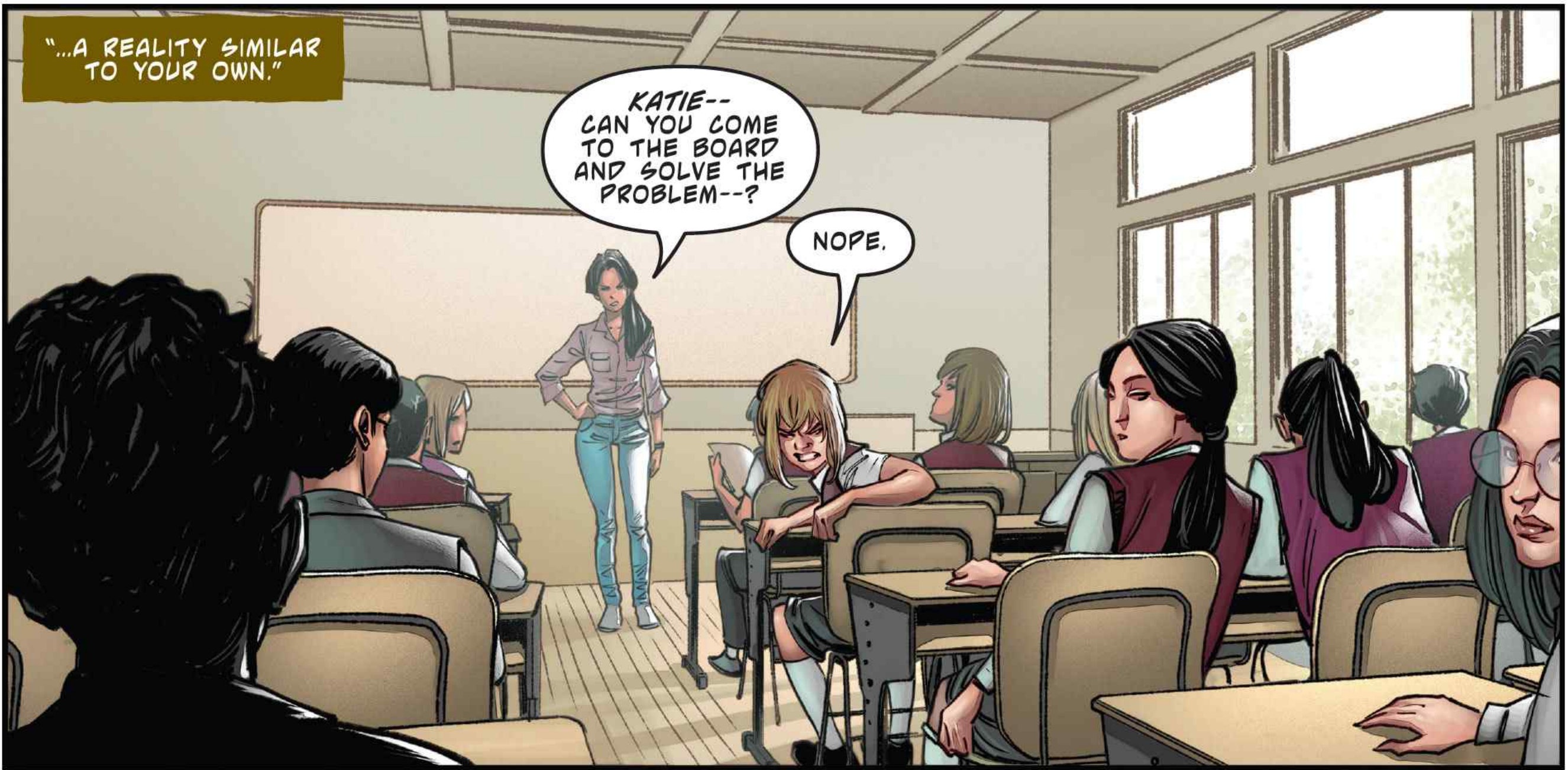
"STOLEN FROM ME AT BIRTH, DRACULINA HAS LIVED MANY LIVES..."



"...THROUGH MANY REALITIES, INCLUDING, FOR MANY SEASONS..."

HEY--!!

"Alt-Draculina"
BEVERLY HILLS
CALIFORNIA



"...A REALITY SIMILAR TO YOUR OWN."

KATIE--
CAN YOU COME
TO THE BOARD
AND SOLVE THE
PROBLEM--?

NOPE.



"BELIAL HID HER AMONG HUMANS, WHERE SHE BECAME AN ORPHAN..."

JUST BEIN' HONEST, MS. WESTBROOK--

"...AND ENDURED HARDSHIP AND ABUSE."

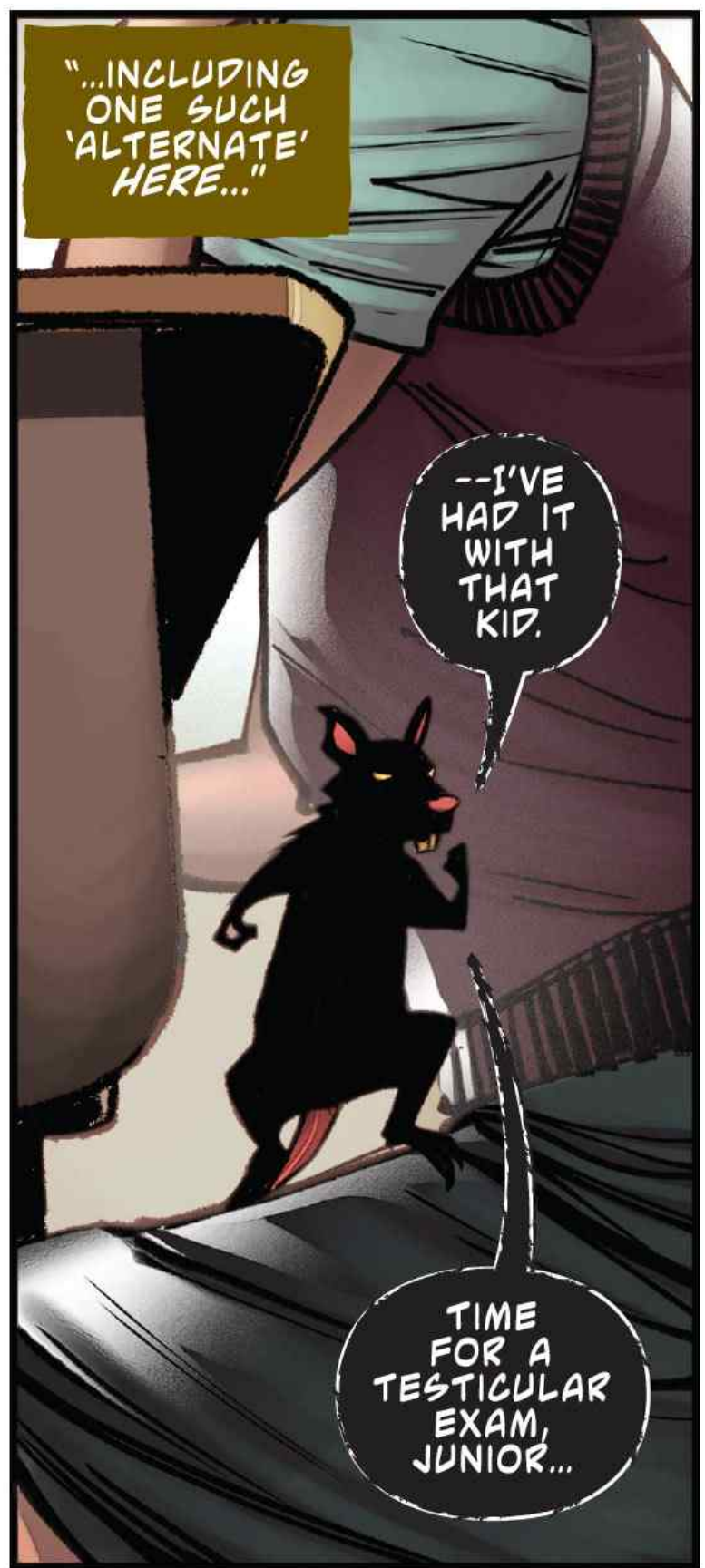


"IN MY LONG SEARCH FOR HER..."

--I'LL JUST TAKE THE ZERO...

"...I DISCOVERED MANY 'ALTERNATE' VERSIONS OF MY CHILD..."

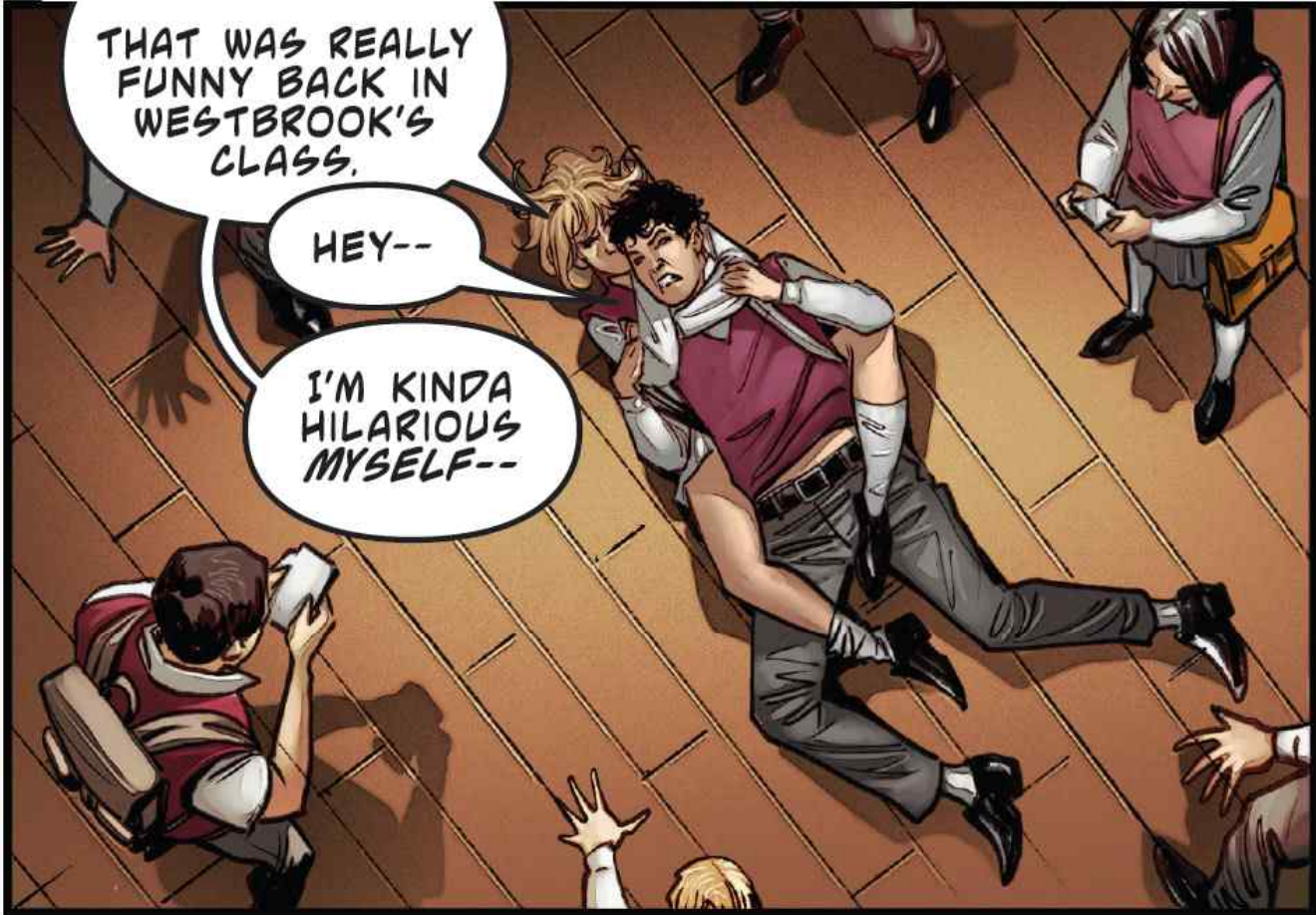
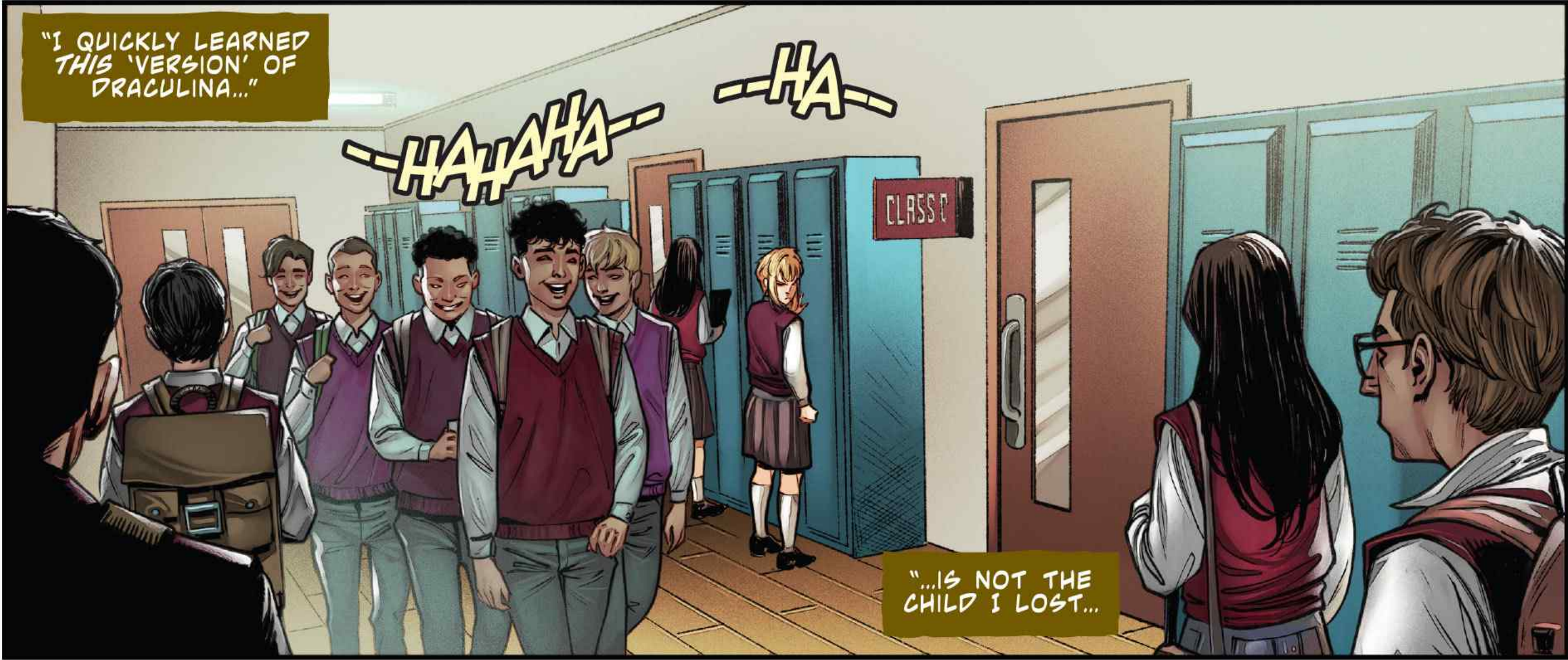
THAT'S IT--



"...INCLUDING ONE SUCH 'ALTERNATE' HERE..."

--I'VE HAD IT WITH THAT KID.

TIME FOR A TESTICULAR EXAM, JUNIOR...





"AS THUS
CONFOUNDS THE
MYSTERY OF
PARALLELISM:

"TWO VERSIONS OF
THE SAME PERSON..."



"...EACH
PROVIDING A
MIRROR FOR
HE OTHER..."

"...THE SMALLEST
GLIMPSE OF WHAT
COULD BE."

"DIEGO,"
HUH?



"Mirrors"
BUNKER HILL
LOS ANGELES
AFTER SCHOOL

BUZZ OFF,
ZYLAVEN.

"PAUL," MY
IMPENETRABLE
DISGUISE.

SHEE-RIGHT.
YOU LOOK
MORE LIKE
A VAMPIRE
NOW.

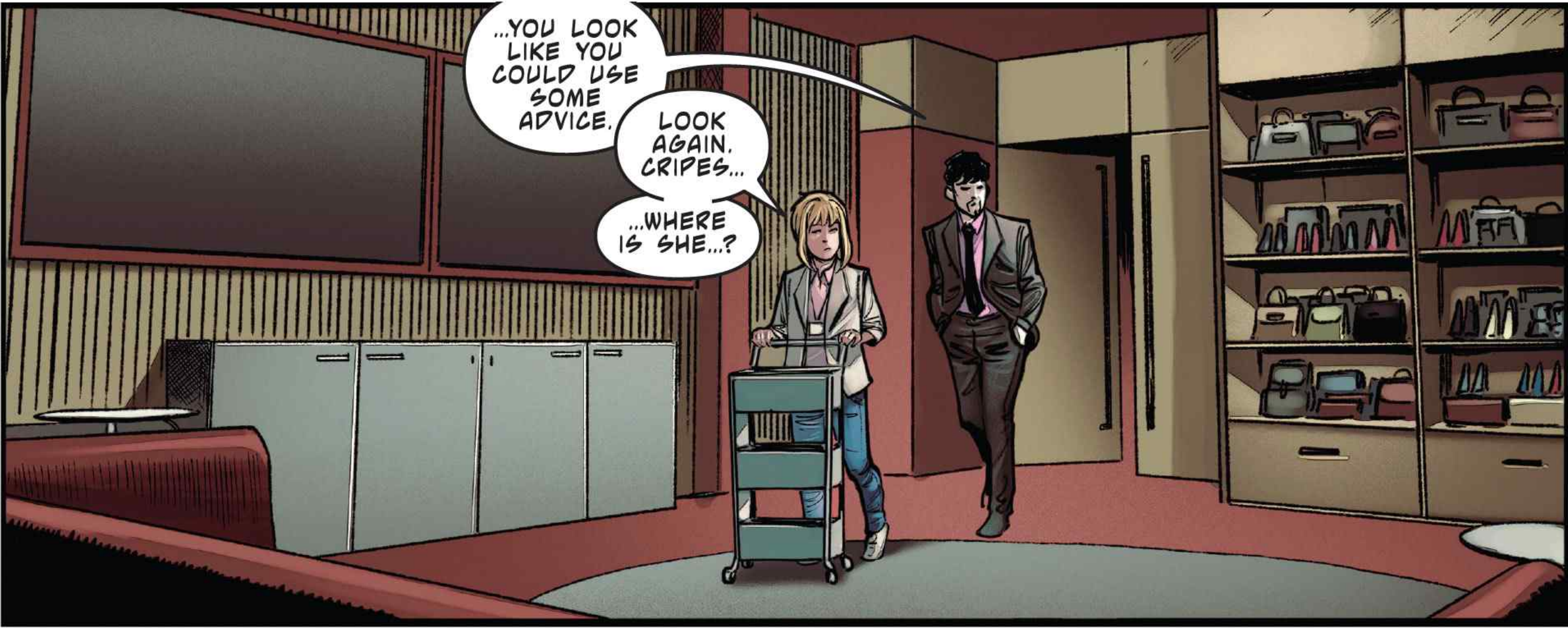


IF NOT FOR
THE POLARIZING
FILTERS IN THE
WINDOWS--

DIEGO
YOUR NEW
BOYFRIEND?

LIKE I'D
ACTUALLY
ANSWER
THAT.

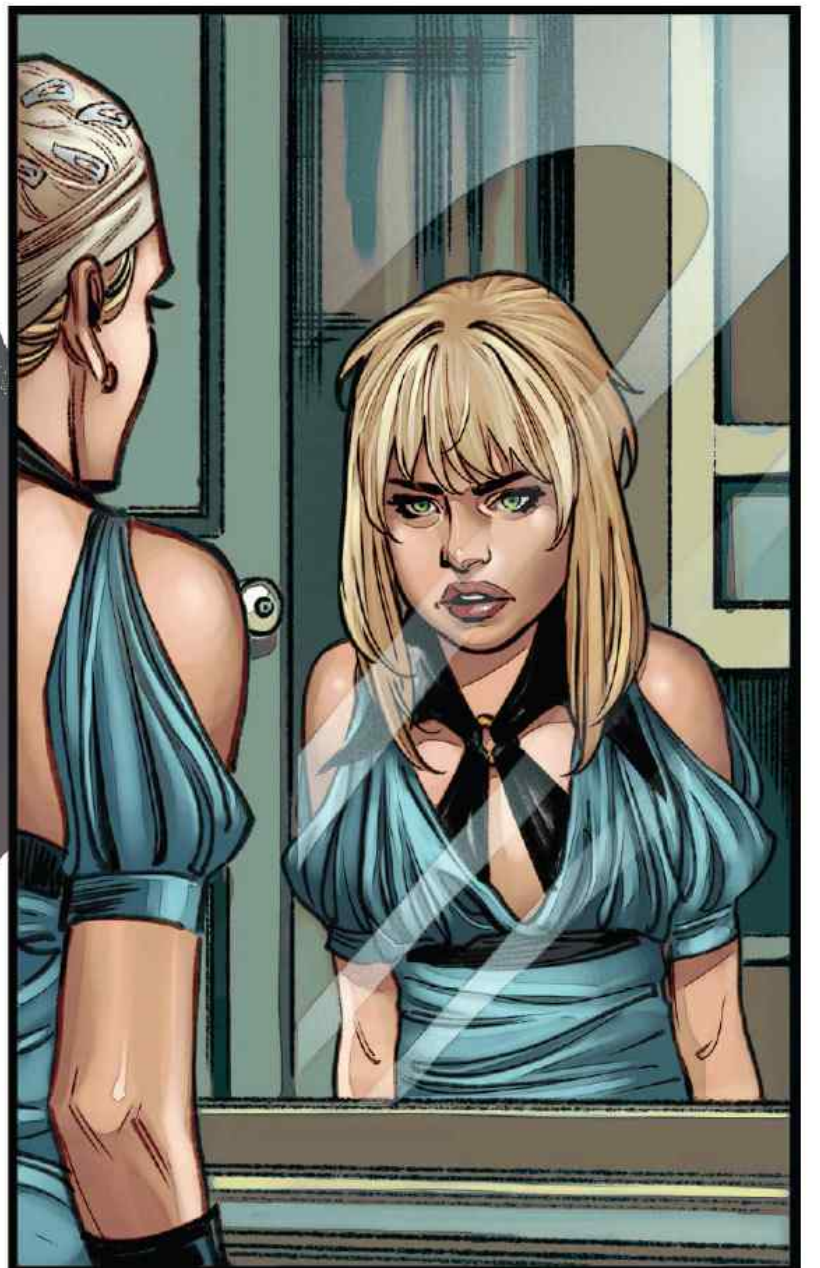
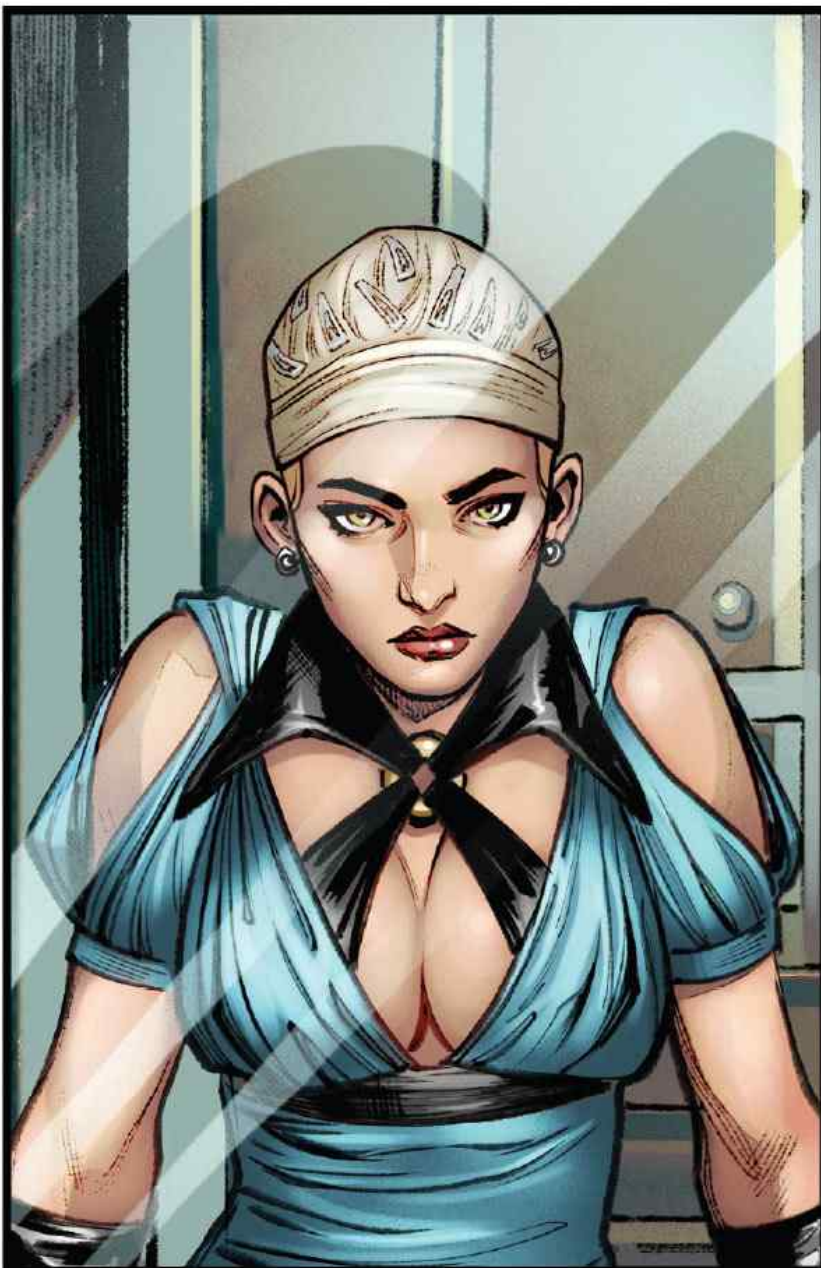
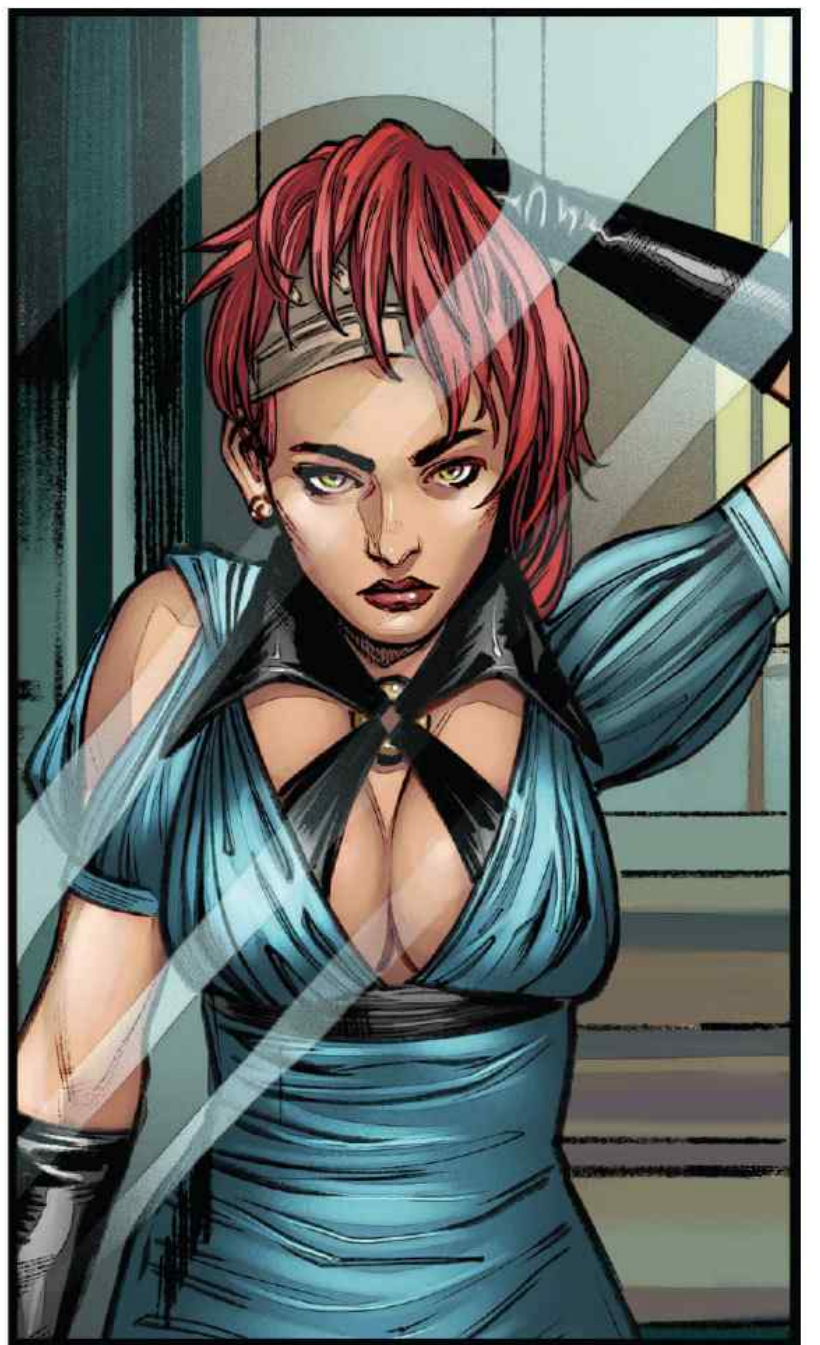
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SHOULD...

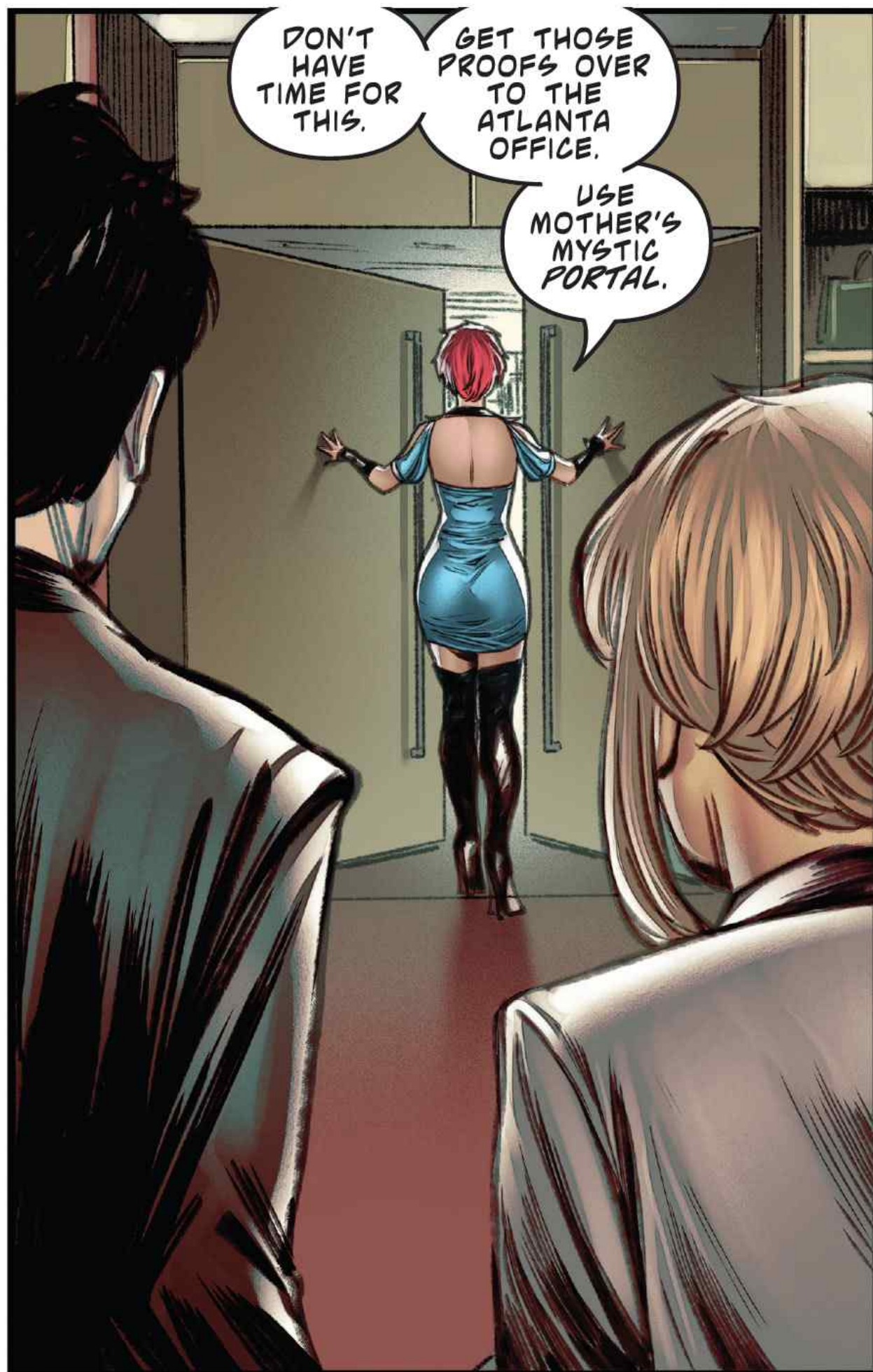


...YOU LOOK
LIKE YOU
COULD USE
SOME
ADVICE.

LOOK
AGAIN.
CRIPEES...

...WHERE
IS SHE...?





"OF COURSE, HER MOTHER WAS NOT IN ATLANTA."

"HAVING BEEN LOST FOR SO LONG, I HAD ACTUALLY FORGOTTEN ABOUT..."

"Kauldryn"

DRUID HILLS
ATLANTA
MOMENTS LATER

"...MY YOUNG GUESTS."

"PUPS FROM DRAKULON MY DAUGHTER LEFT ON MY DOORSTEP."

THAREWYCK!

HEY KATIE.

THEY HAVE YOU SCHLEPPING CROSS-COUNTRY AGAIN.

"SCHLEPPING"-- DID I GET THAT RIGHT?

YEAH, WYCK. YOUR ENGLISH IS REALLY COMING ALONG.

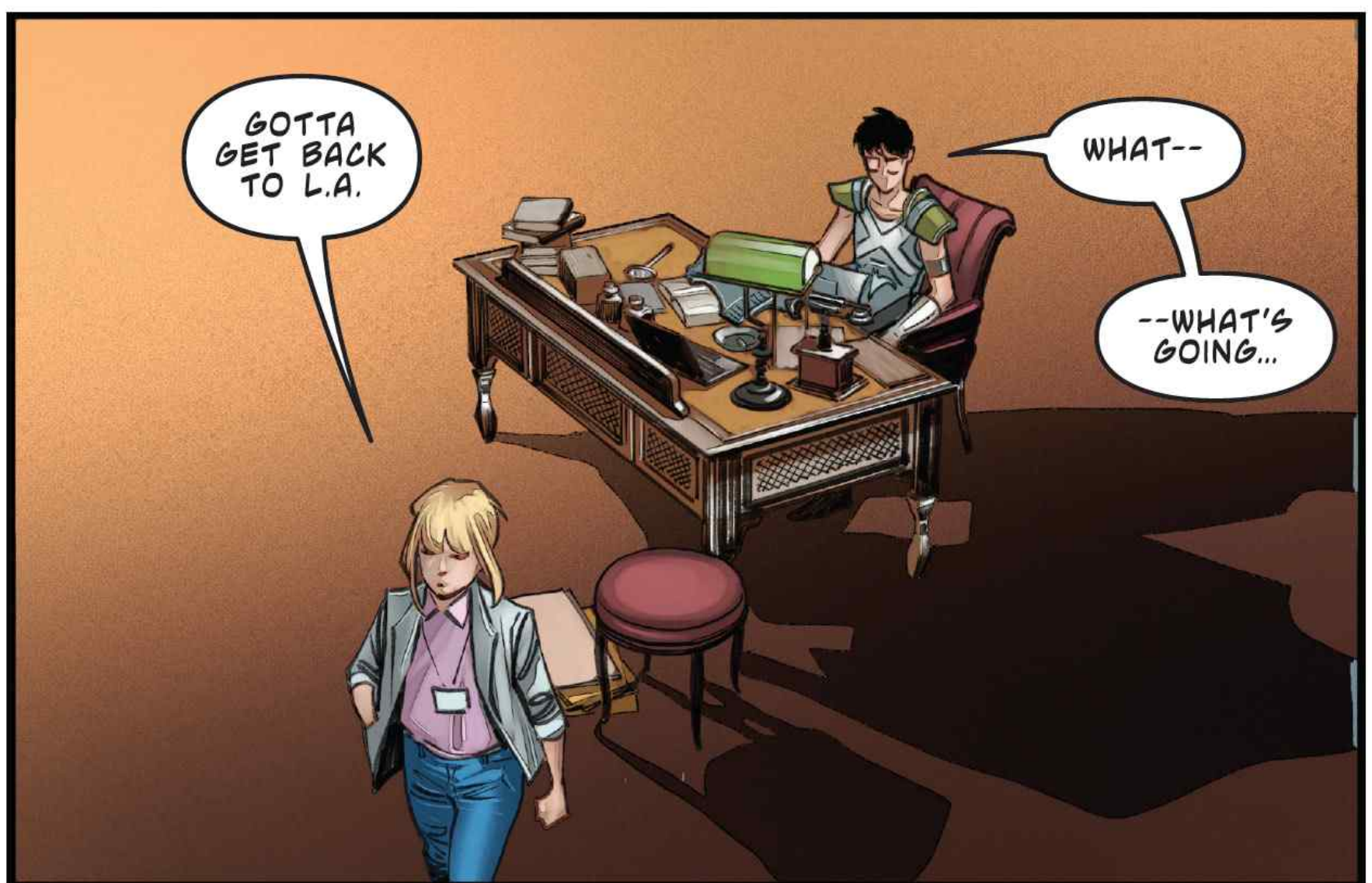
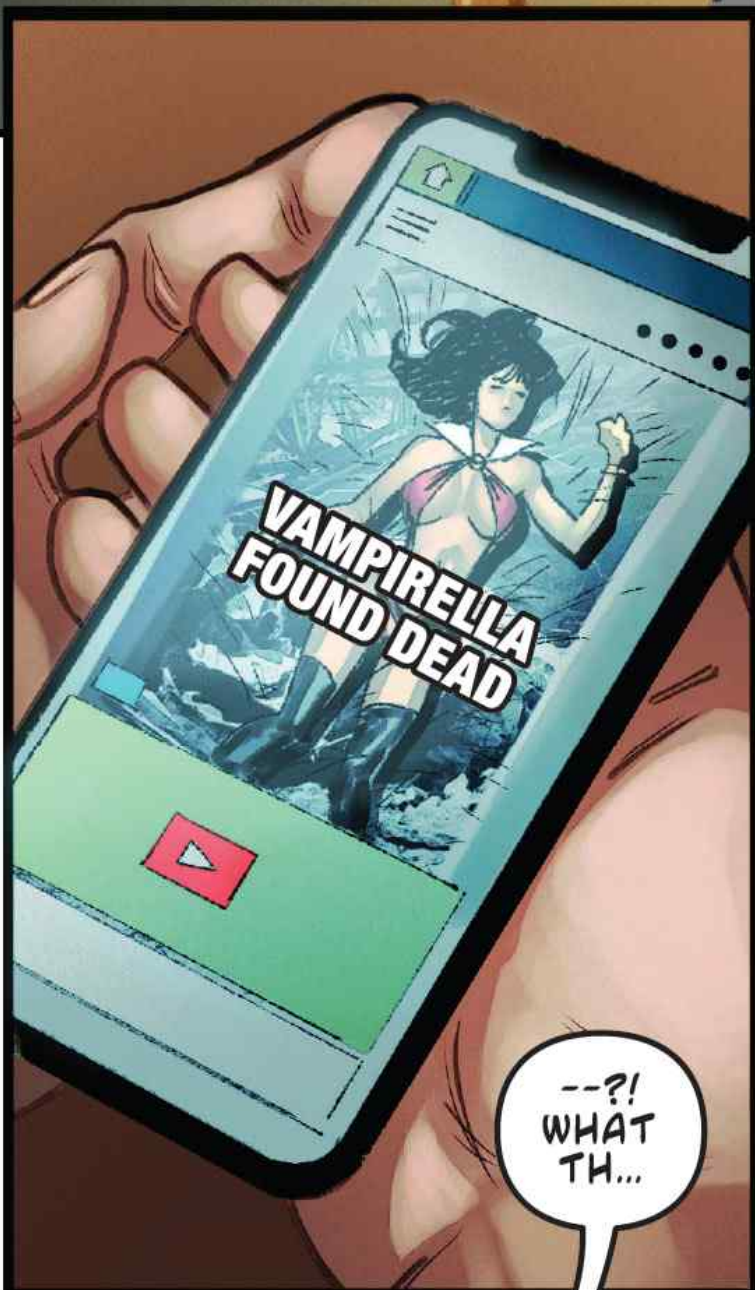
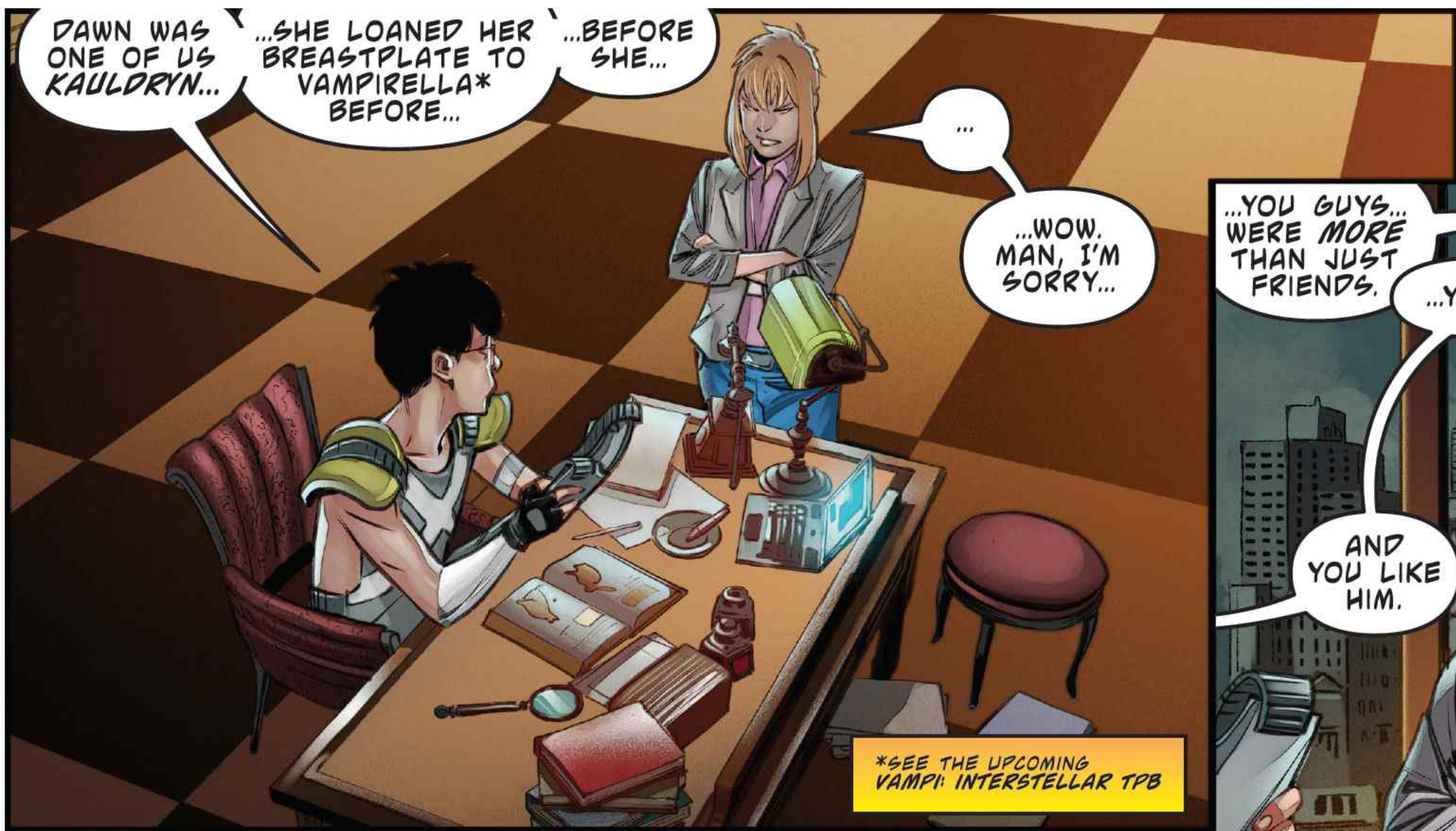
YOU DRAKULON KIDS SOUNDED LIKE CHIPMUNKS WHEN I MET YOU.*

*SEE THE UPCOMING VAMPI: RED MASS TPB

SOMETHIN' WRONG WITH YOUR FLIGHT RIG...?

NOT MINE. IT BELONGED TO DAWN.

"DAWN"...?





"The Watchers"
ELYSIAN PARK
LOS ANGELES

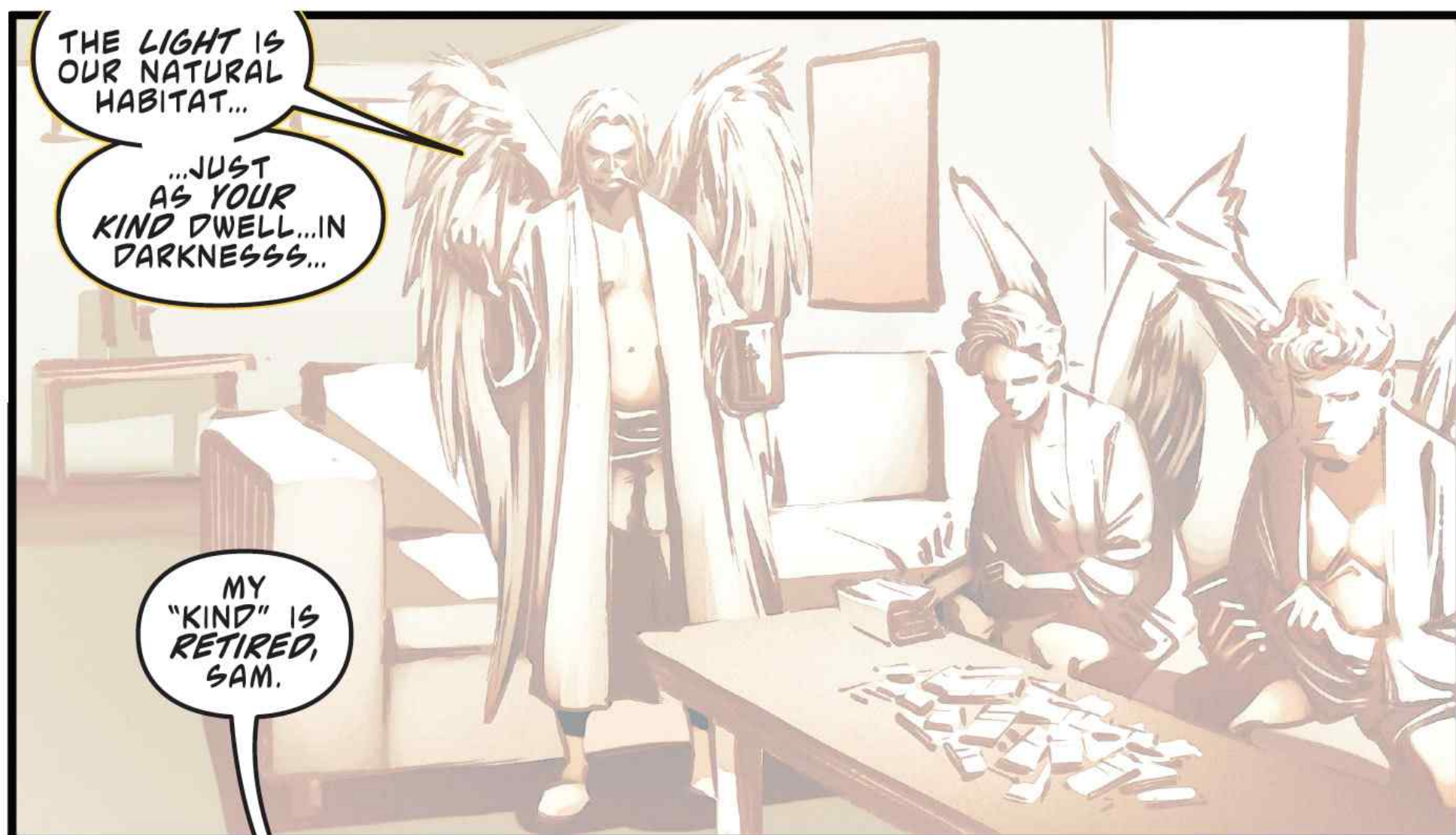




WALK,
GIORDANO...

...COME
YE NOW...
UNTO THE
LIGHT...

THE
LIGHT.



THE LIGHT IS
OUR NATURAL
HABITAT...

...JUST
AS YOUR
KIND DWELL...IN
DARKNESSS...

MY
"KIND" IS
RETIRED,
SAM.



YES, I HEARD
THAT RUMOR.
TELL ME...

...DO
DEMONS
HAVE A
HOIK...?

SAMYAZA...



...WHY
AM I
HERE...?

SAME
REASON WE
ARE, GIORDANO...
BUSINESS.

I MEAN,
WHO BETTER
TO RUN LOCAL
SANITATION...?

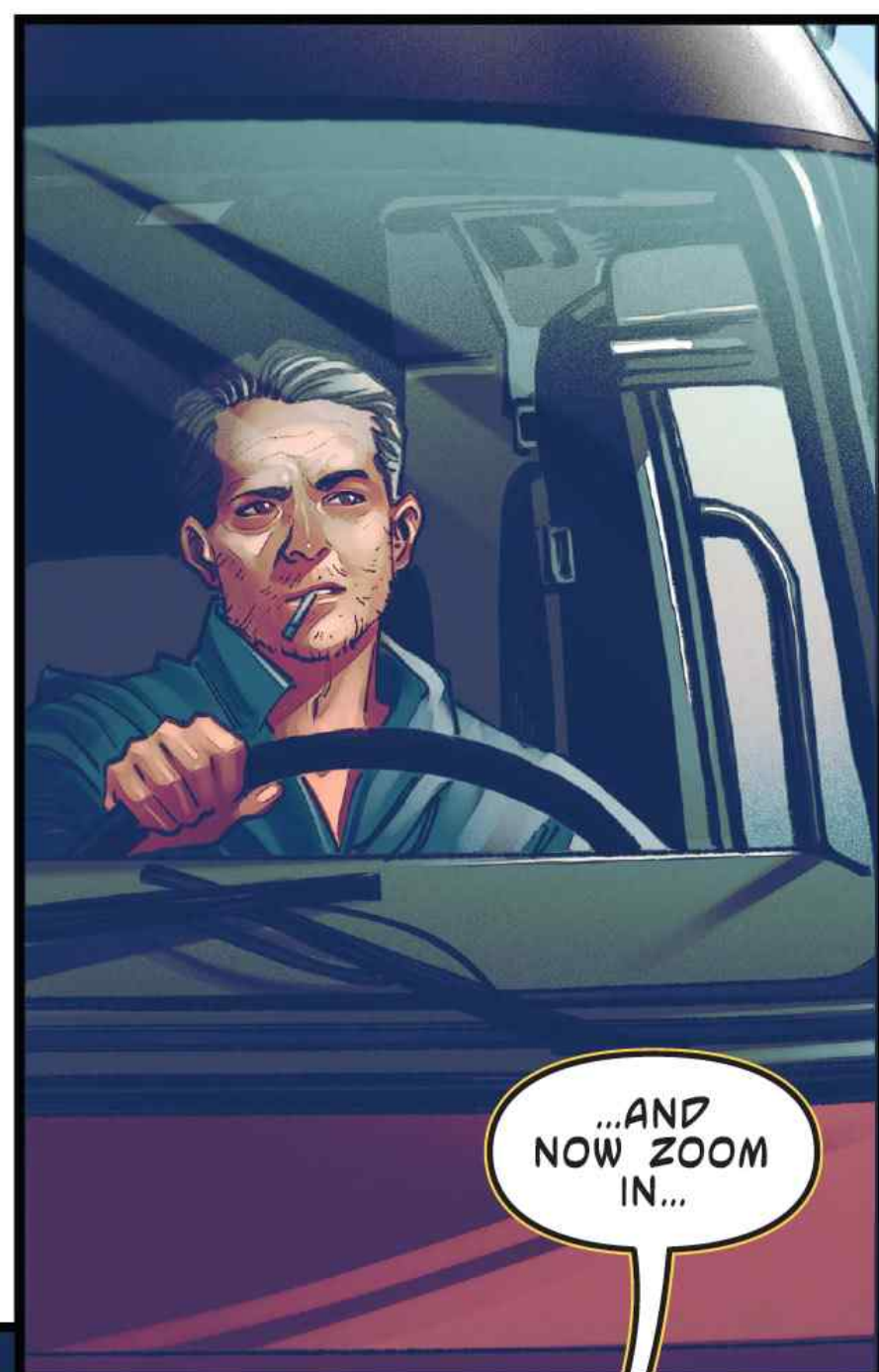
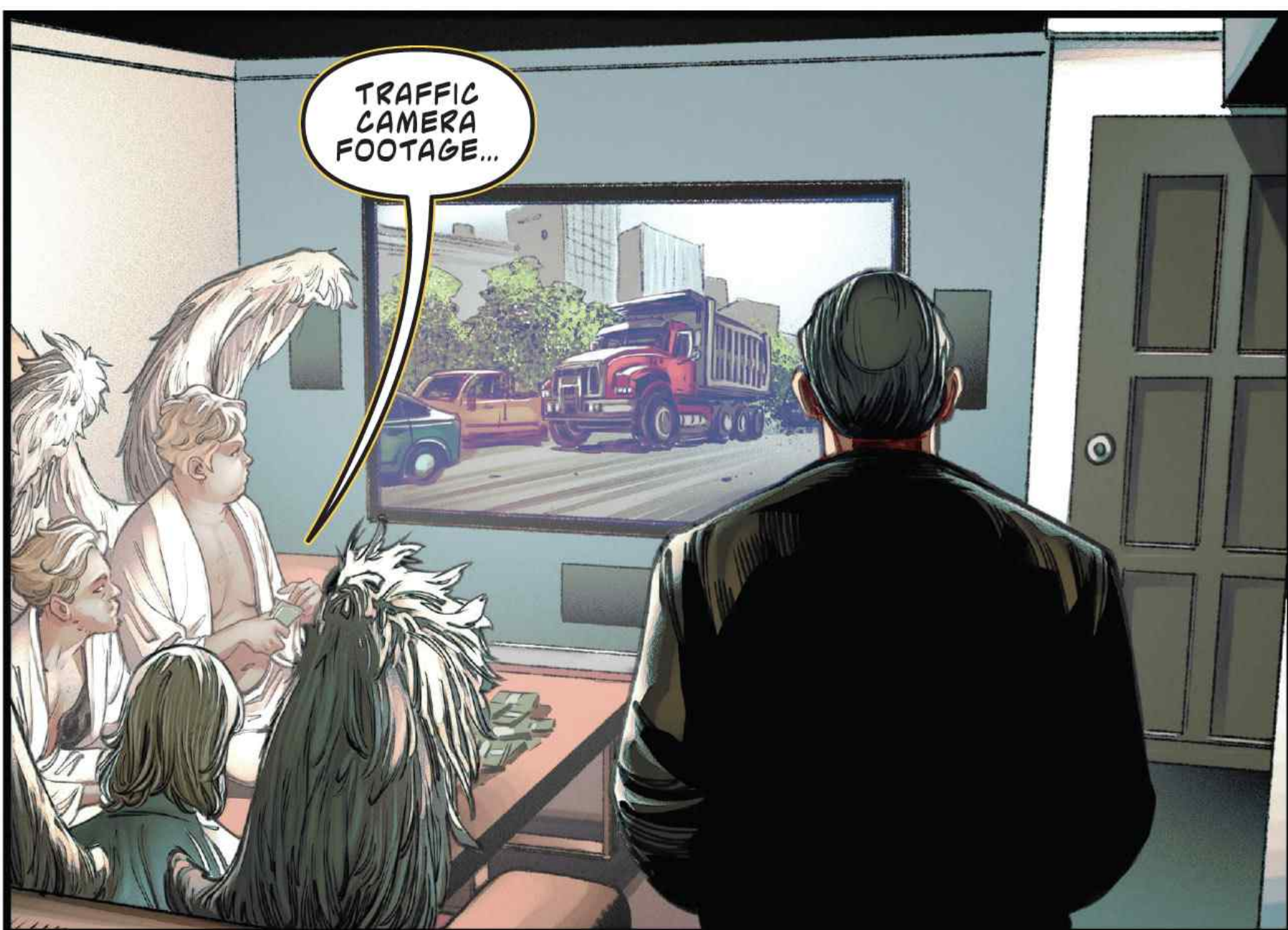
I HAVE
NO FURTHER
INTEREST IN
THE RACKETS,
SAM.

GOOD
TO HEAR.
BUT...



...A DOZEN
OF OUR
TRUCKS GOT
WRECKED
THIS WEEK.

KLUKK





...WHY AM I HERE? WHAT HAS ANY OF THIS TO DO WITH...

...BELIAL.

YES...THE "RETIRED" DEMON.

NO MORE WREAKING HAVOC ACROSS THE MULTIVERSE...

...AND NO MORE INTEREST IN THE SYNDICATE WE SPENT DECADES BUILDING.

YES. AND SO HAVE WE NOW THE PEACE.

PEACE COSTS, G. IT COST US.



"US". BENÉ HA' ÉLOHIM. EGREGOROI...

...THE WATCHERS. FALLEN ANGELS.

AN OVER-SIMPLIFICATION. WE'RE ON... SABBATICAL.

AND, YET, HERE WE ARE.

THESE TRUCK ATTACKS HAVE YOUR FINGERPRINTS ALL OVER THEM.



"FINGER-PRINTS".

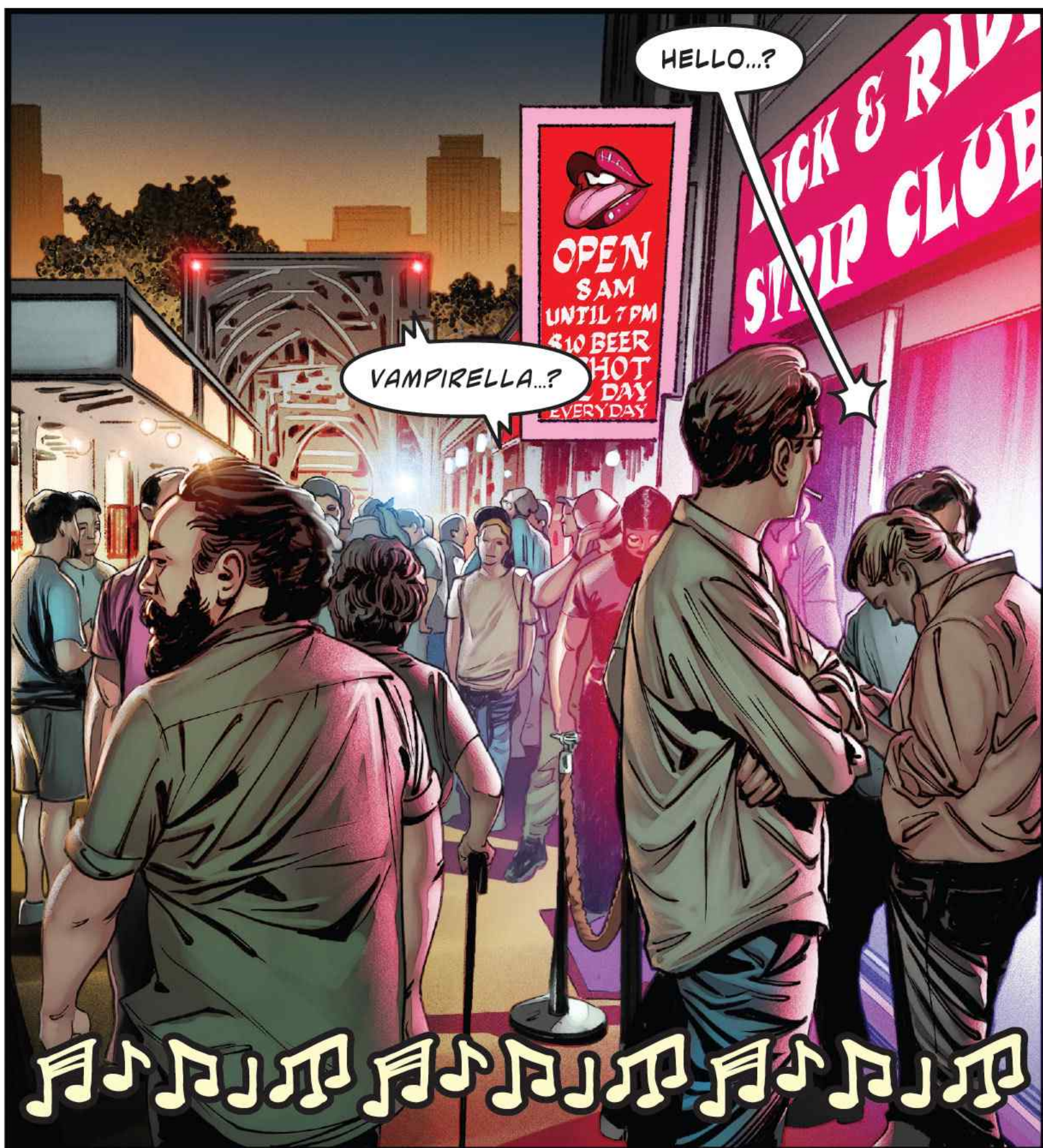
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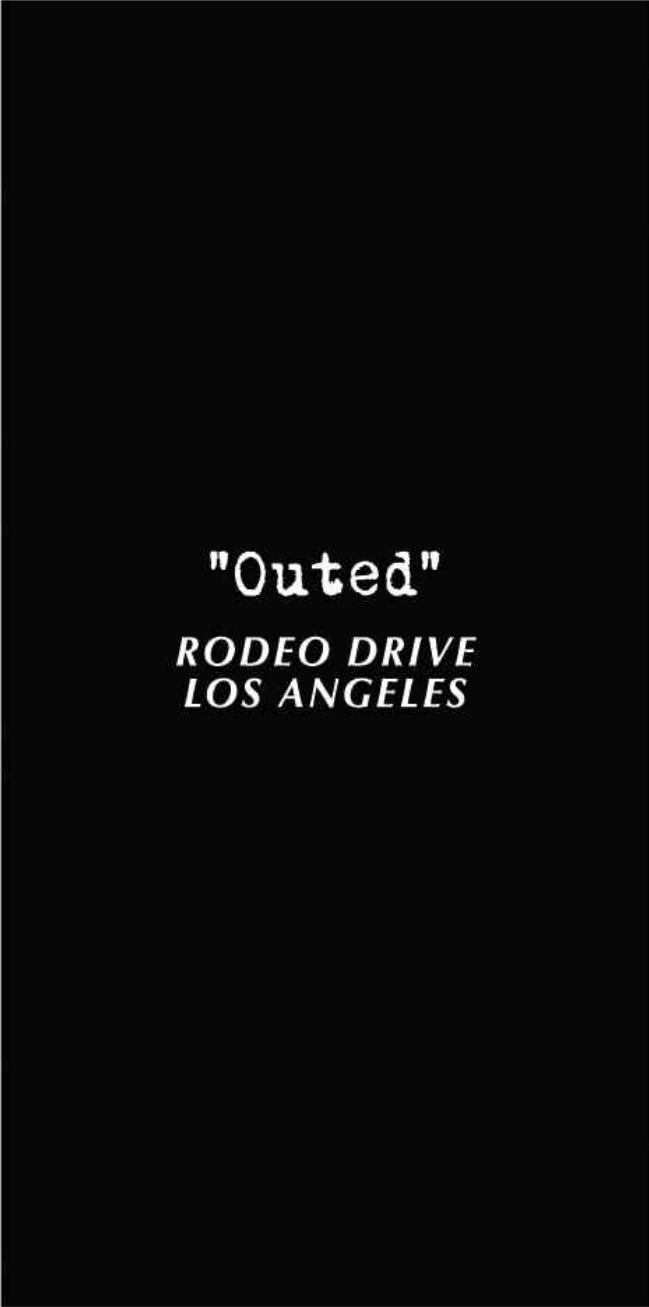


MY LOST HAND...SEVERED CENTURIES AGO BY THE WITCH LILITH.

YAH, WELL.

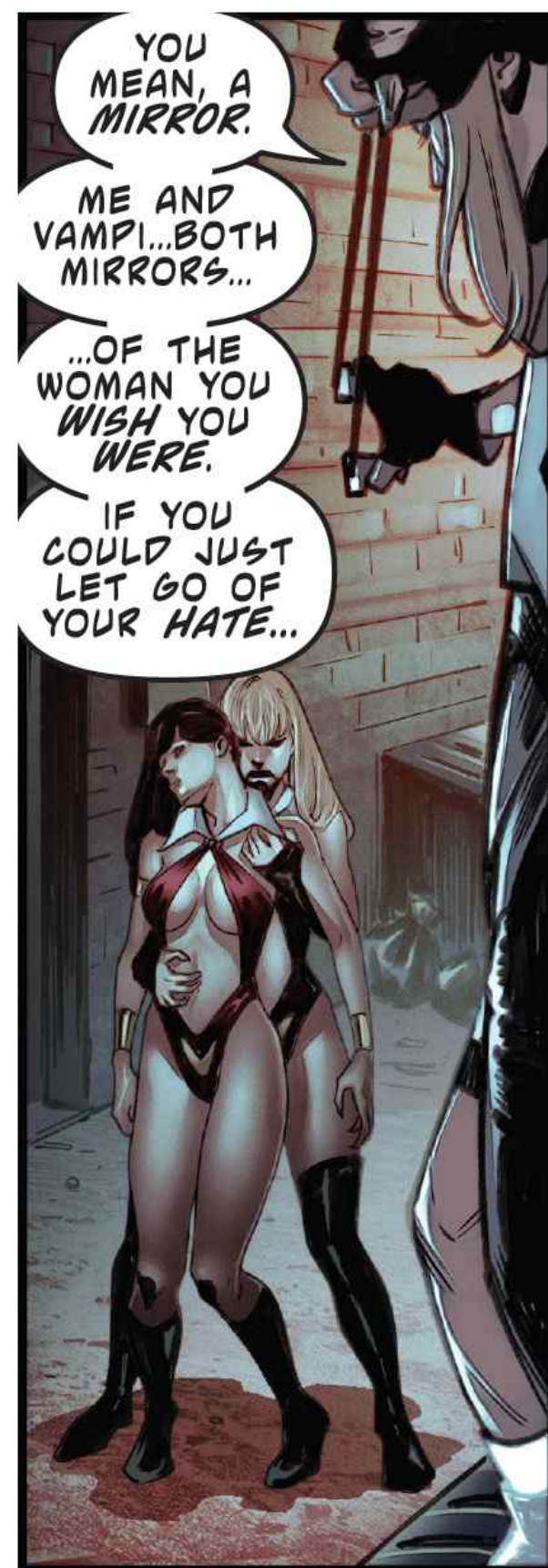
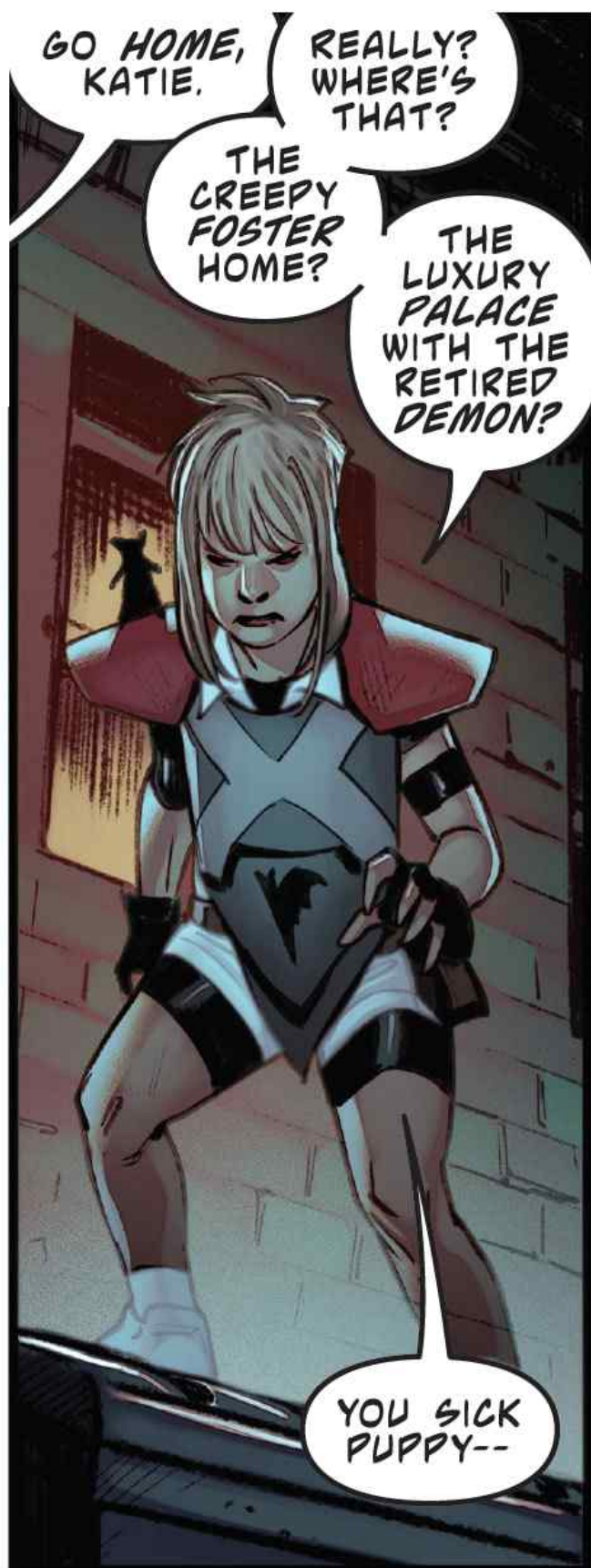
LOOKS LIKE SOMEBODY FOUND IT.













--?!

WHAT
THE
HELL...?

Yael!
Did a pipe
burst...?

Yael--!



WHAT...
WHAT IS
GOING...



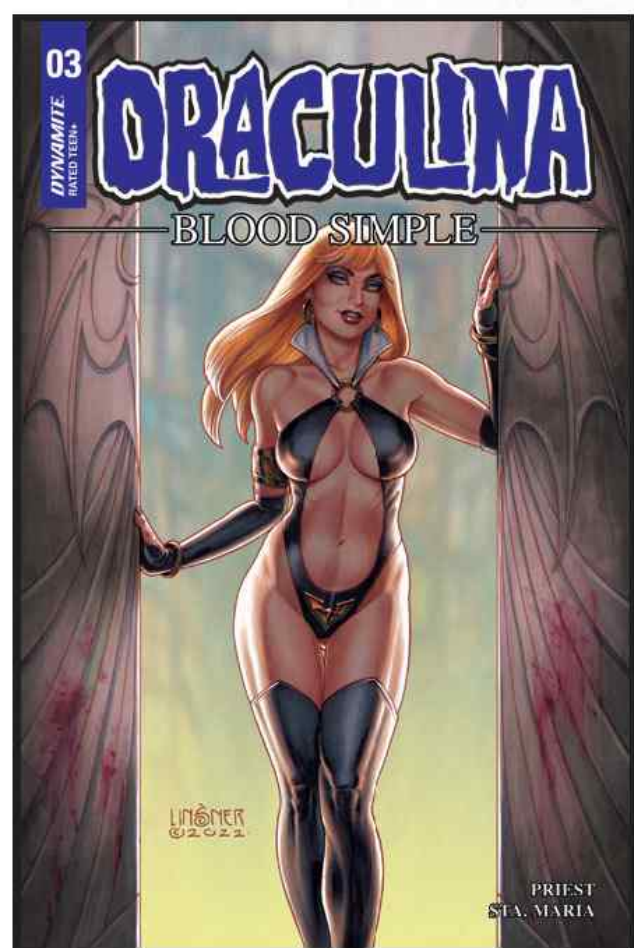
...OH.

I SEE
WHAT THIS
IS...



...WAR.

NEXT:
GANG WAR
THEY PULL
ME BACK IN



NEXT ISSUE

Is Vampirella a “real” person or is she merely a clone of Lilith’s first child-Draculina? Drawn to Los Angeles by Draculina’s unhinged murder of Vampirella look-alikes, the real Vampi confronts her sister in a struggle to prove Vampi deserves to live! Meanwhile, the family reunion from hell continues with Draculina’s half-brother, the mysterious half-man, half-sea creature Levi, triggering a mob war with the murder of the fallen angels known as the Watchers, and taking Vampirette hostage in order to draw the ageless demon Belial out of his “retirement.”

ELVIRA’S MOVIE MULTIVERSE ADVENTURES CONTINUE! DAVID AVALLONE INTRODUCES THE MONSTERS!

David, you may well now be the ultimate Elvira chronicler across media, beyond the Mistress of the Dark herself of course! What does it mean to continue to channel her (nearly) inimitable persona?

It’s the best compliment I get about these comics: people telling me that my Elvira sounds exactly like the real one, the one they know so well. Most of the credit for that goes to Cassandra Peterson. She created a character so absolutely indelible that it’s not hard (pun not intended) to channel that voice. In any given situation, you can imagine what Elvira would say or do. The trick to it is coming up with situations that give her the opportunity to do her thing in the best possible way. And of course, Cassandra reads all the scripts and makes suggestions for tweaks. That said, she has been very kind and supportive of my writing.

Our last Elvira series had her in “Horrorland” hopping between realities that mirrored everyone’s favorite beloved horror flicks of the past. This new series is still tapping into that Multiverse of Movies concept, right? Now with the subtitle of “Monsterland,” how is the idea shifting here?

In the last series, Elvira was bopping around the Multiverse of Movies with no real plan other than a desire to get home...complicated by her desire to interfere in the stories of horror movies. In Monsterland... her longtime archenemy Vlad the Impaler is the one travelling through the Multiverse, with a nefarious plan... and the Mistress of the Dark is tasked with finding out what he’s

up to and stopping him. She gets the assignment from the Novazone Express, a parody of the Nova Police from William Burroughs’ Nova Express. Because comics need more Burroughs references, I guess. More William to go with the Edgar Rice.

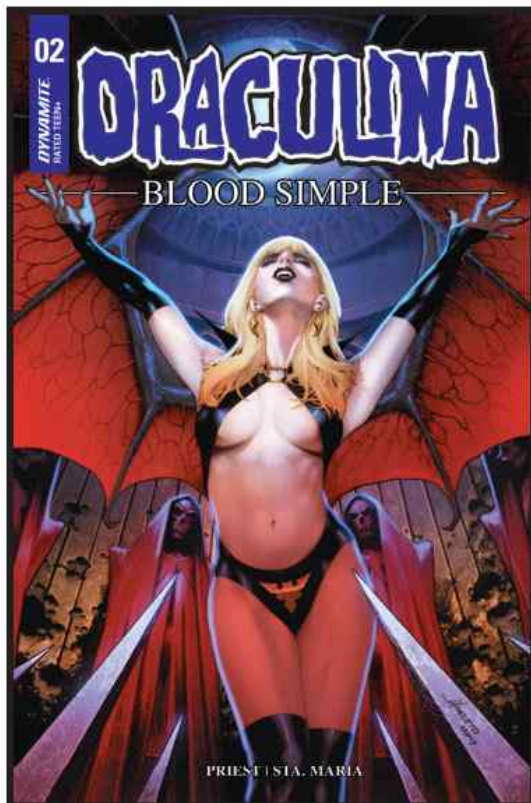
The one and only Dracula, often going more by Vlad the Impaler here, is back again! Fans who have been following yours and Dynamite’s Elvira stories from the beginning in 2018 should be excited to have him popping up! What is his evil plan?

I don’t want to give away Vlad’s plan (spoilers!) but I think smart readers may figure out what he’s up to. And how – just like in the very first Dynamite Elvira comics – Vlad isn’t necessarily the “brains” of the operation. Who has set him loose to plunder the Multiverse of Movies? What are they after? Stay tuned!

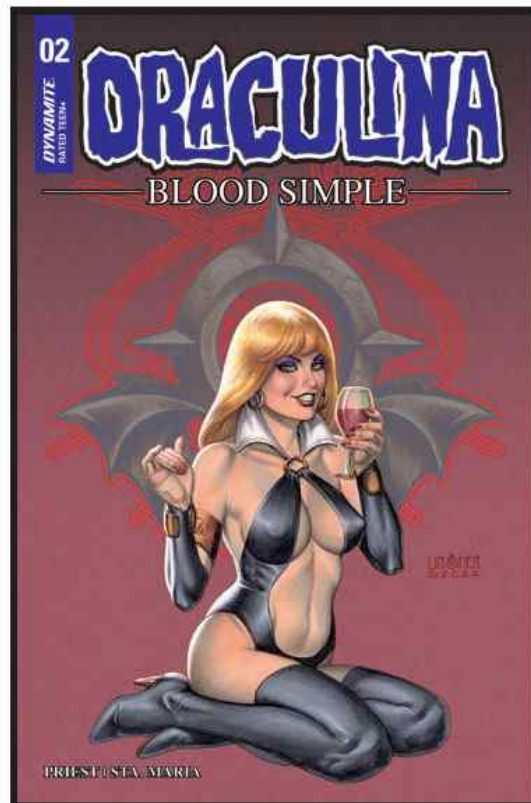
Without spoiling what we’re all cooking for this book, do you think you have a bunch more awesome Elvira yarns left to tell still?

It’s a funny thing: when I was offered this job originally, I really didn’t know what I was going to do with the character. Then artist Dave Acosta, who did the first series with me, reminded me that it was a comedy, and to lean hard into that. Elvira always works as the outsider commenting on the craziness of horror films, so there’s really no end in sight. There will always be more fright flicks, and Elvira will always be there to laugh with them, at them... and in this case, in them.

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